REMARKS

Pursuant to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 10, 2006, the Response dated September 29, 2006 is considered to be non-compliant because it failed to meet requirements of 37 CFR 1.121. The marked items include "The Title does not show markings" and "Clean version of abstract is required." Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections in light of the following comments.

The title does not show markings because it has not been amended. The Response states, "Please change USPTO records to indicate that the title to be used in this application is SEPARATING AGENT FOR ENANTIOMERIC ISOMERS AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME, which title coincides with the title appearing in the English translation of the specification." This title is also on the Declaration. USPTO records show the WIPO title which is not the title that was used when filing this application. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Although Applicants' representative can find no rule that states that both a "marked-up" and "clean" copy of a replacement abstract are required, pursuant to the Examiner's request a "clean" copy of the replacement abstract is enclosed herewith.

If the Examiner feels that there are any outstanding matters left to be resolved regarding the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned in order that they may be dealt with.

Respectfully submitted,

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